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For:	POLYHEDRAL OLIGOMERIC -SILSESQUIOXANES, -SILICATES AND -SILOXANES BEARING RING-STRAINED OLEFINIC FUNCTIONALITIES		

AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 28, 2002, Applicants respectfully request that the application be amended as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Replace page 4, line 24, to page 4, line 27 with the following:

FIG. 2 shows a hydrosilation method for attaching a ROMP group (only monohydrosilation is shown; polyhydrosilations can also be carried out);

FIG. 3 shows a silation method for attaching a ROMP group (monosilation shown; polysilations can also be carried out);

FIG. 4 shows representative examples of non-nanostructured oligomeric siloxane and silsesquioxane systems;